

BLACKFINCH SPRING VENTURE CAPITAL TRUST (VCT)

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ABOUT BLACKFINCH



Inspired by Charles Darwin and 'Darwin's finches'



Built on over **30 years of investment** track record



Over **£900 million** under management



Experienced **team of over 150 people**across the UK



Experience across

multi-asset investing, renewable energy, property lending, AIM and start-up and scale-up investing



A **UN PRI signatory**, committed to responsible investing

Signatory of:







OUR SOLUTIONS



BLACKFINCH ADAPT IHT SERVICE



BLACKFINCH ADAPT AIM PORTFOLIOS



BLACKFINCH CORPORATE MANAGEMENT SERVICE



BLACKFINCH VENTURES EIS PORTFOLIOS



BLACKFINCH SPRING VCT



BLACKFINCH ASSET MANAGEMENT

- Tailored Portfolio Service
- Managed Portfolio Service



INVESTMENT LIFECYCLE

PRODUCT-MARKET FIT

On the cusp of their scale-up journey

Ventures EIS portfolios

----- SCALE-UP

Growth-stage companies on their scale-up journey

Spring VCT

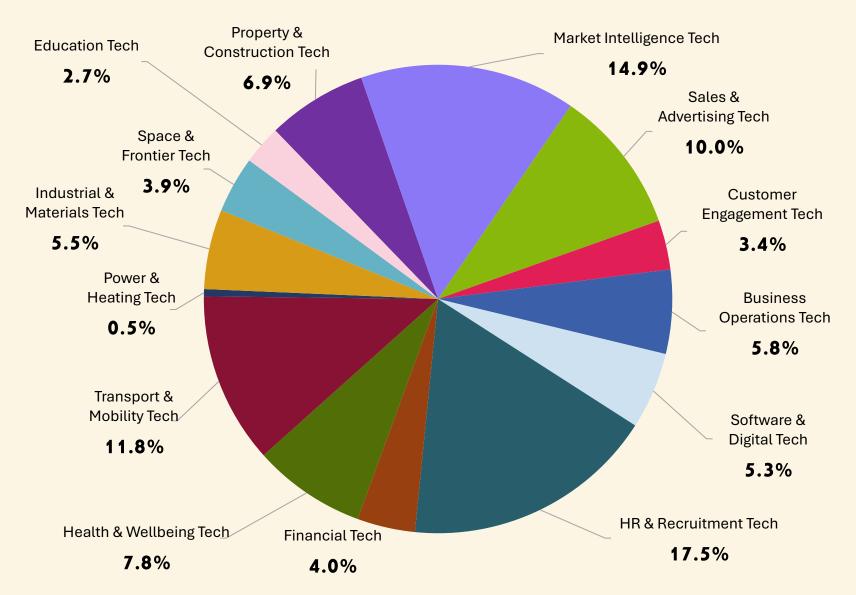
→ MINIMUM VIABLE PRODUCT →

Searching for a compelling value proposition

Angels/friends and family

BLACKFINCH SPRING VCT INVESTMENTS

Based on values as at 30 June 2025.





BLACKFINCH SPRING VCT

FEES & DETAILS

Minimum Investment	£3,000
Raise	£20m with £20m over allotment facility
Regular Dividends	Targeting dividends of 5% of NAV p.a.
Special Dividends	For early and above target exits
Initial Adviser Charge	Up to 5%
Adviser Ongoing Charge	Up to 0.5%
Initial Promotion Fee	2.5%
Effective Investment Management Fee	2%
Performance Fee	20% above 130p or high watermark
Buyback Policy	5% discount to NAV¹

¹ Subject to director approval, not guaranteed.



EARLY-BIRD DISCOUNT

1% discount on applications received by 5pm on 15th December 2025

Existing Blackfinch investors are entitled to an additional **1% loyalty discount** throughout the offer period





THE VENTURES INVESTMENT TEAM



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MANAGING PRODUCT

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We have grown a network of Venture Partners who are all experienced founders, industry leaders or technology experts.



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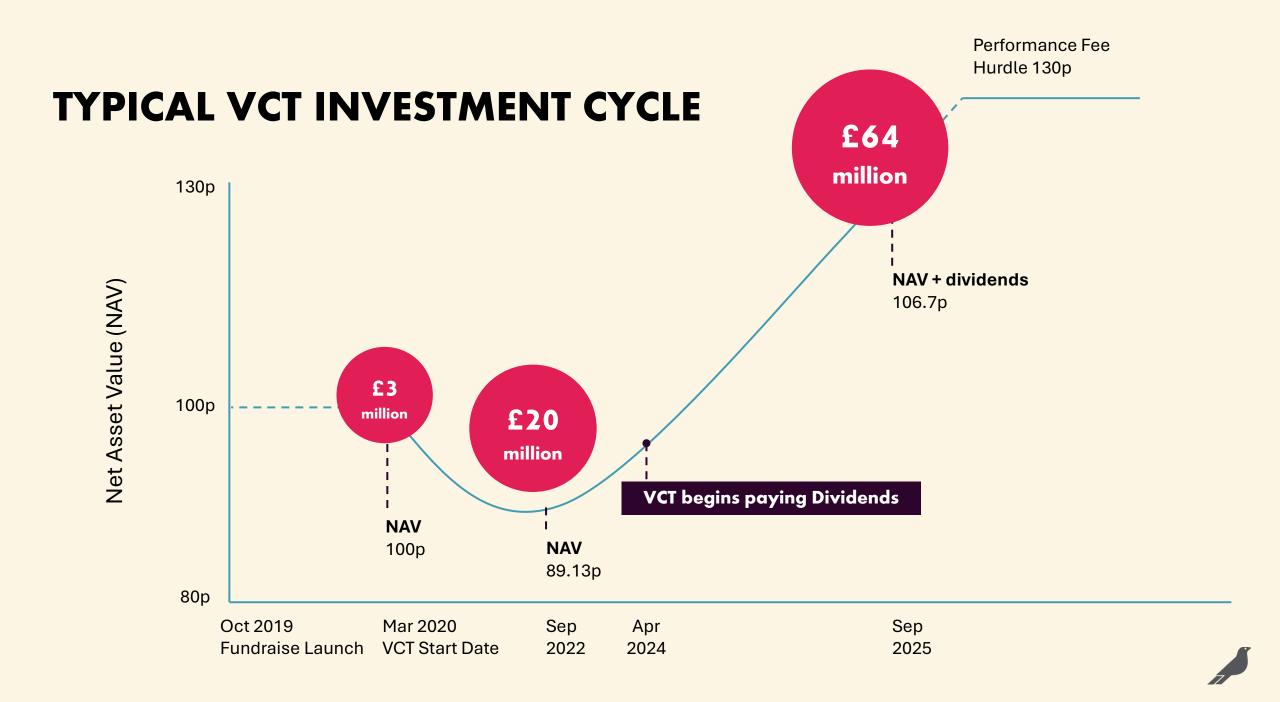


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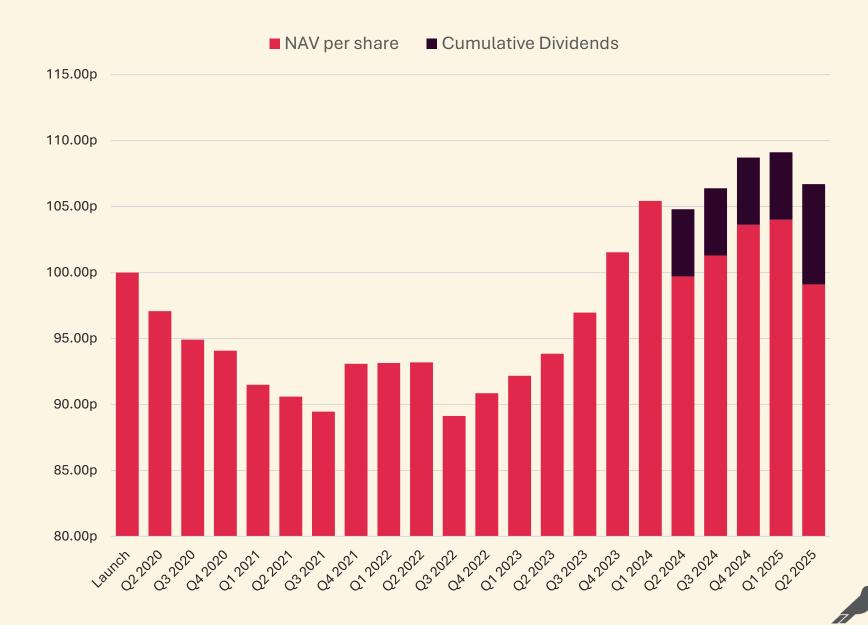




PERFORMANCE PER SHARE

Q2 NAV/Share	99.10p
1-year NAV Total Return	1.9%
3-year NAV Total Return	14.5%
5-year NAV Total Return	9.9%

Performance figures as at 30 June 2025. Past performance is not an indicator of future performance.





Currensea is the UK's first travel
debit card linked directly to high
street bank accounts. It enables
spending abroad at the lowest
exchange fees, without top-ups or new
accounts. Currensea also powers a
pioneering loyalty debit card from
Hilton Hotels.



SPACEFLUX

Spaceflux is a London-based space tech company **tracking satellites and space debris**. Using telescopes and AI, it delivers real-time data to governments and private companies. The company has expanded its global sensor network and secured multiple government and commercial contracts.



WHY INVEST IN SPRING VCT?



Regular Dividends (Potential for Special Dividends)



Expert Team Including Tech Founders



High Hurdle for Performance fee



Diverse and growing portfolio



Strong performance over the last 2-3 years



Value-Add Venture Partners

